

## Message Text

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SUBJECT: INDOCHINESE REFUGEES ABOARD J. PAUL GETTY

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HONG KONG FOR FELDMAN

1. LIBERIAN REGISTRY TANKER J. PAUL GETTY, U.S. OWNED, ON  
ROUTE MIDDLE EAST FROM JAPAN HAS PICKED UP 27 REFUGEES  
FROM SMALL BOAT IN SOUTH CHINA SEA. MASTER RADIOED FOR  
PERMISSION TO DISEMBARK REFUGEES AT SINGAPORE BUT WAS RE-  
FUSED. (ETA SINGAPORE 1600 HRS 20 JAN 78 LOCAL TIME).

2. FOR GENEVA: POST SHOULD REQUEST THAT UNHCR INSTRUCT REPS IN KL AND SINGAPORE TO INTERVENE WITH GOS TO PERMIT REFUGEES ASHORE UNDER CARE AND PROTECTION OF UNHCR WHILE RESETTLEMENT OFFERS ARE SOUGHT FOR THEM.

3. FOR GENEVA, SINGAPORE, AND KUALA LUMPUR: DEPT AND INS/CO AUTHORIZE INFORMING UNHCR HDQS AND REPS AND GOS THAT IF PERMITTED ASHORE UNDER PROTECTION UNHCR, ALL ADMISSIBLE GETTY REFUGEES NOT ACCEPTED BY ANOTHER COUNTRY FOR PERMANENT RESETTLEMENT IN REASONABLE TIME WILL BE ADMITTED TO US (FYI: UNDER CONDITIONAL ENTRY OR NEW PAROLE PROGRAM, WHICHEVER IN EFFECT). CHRISTOPHER

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## Message Attributes

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